examination will be held at each of the following centres at which sufficient candidates present themselves for examination :—

(1) Bombay,
(2) Calcutta,
(3) Madras,
(4) Rangoon,
(5) Allahabad,
(6) Karachi, and
(7) Lahore.

Additional centres may be appointed should circumstances render such a course desirable.

2. The syllabus of this examination is laid down in Rule 24 of the Auditor's Certificates Rules. No text books have been prescribed but the following books are recommended for the guidance of candidates :—

Group I. Accountancy and Auditing.

(1) Book-keeping and Accounts by L. C. Cropper.
(2) Elementary Book-keeping by Spicer and Pegler.
(3) Principles of Auditing by F. R. de Paula. (First 8 Chapters only).
(4) Rapid Calculations by A. H. Russell.

Group II. Mercantile Law Company Law and General Commercial knowledge.

(1) Students' Edition of Pollock and Mulla's Indian Contract Act by D. F. Mulla and Balwantrao K. Desai.
(2) Company Law by K. J. Rustomji, (up to Section 154 only i.e., Parts I to IV).
(3) Modern Business Training and the Methods and Machinery of Business by J. K. Grebby and W. K. Scrivener.

3. Applications for admission to this examination are required to be made on the prescribed form copies of which may be obtained from the Secretary, to the Government of India in the Department of Commerce, New Delhi. Every such application together with a fee of Rs. 80 and the necessary certificates must be sent so as to reach the Government of India not later than the 15th of January 1933.

J. C. B. Dawe,
Secretary to the Government of India.

By Order,
H. V. Ramaswami,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, MYSORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, BANGALORE.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE 25TH MEETING OF THE MYSORE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

DECEMBER SESSION.—1932.

14th to 20th December 1932.

No. Bl. 3432—L. C. dated 3rd January 1933.

The twenty-fifth session of the reconstituted Legislative Council commenced on the 14 December 1932 and continued for six days. *Rajakaryaprasakta Diwan Bahadur* M. Krishna Rao, occupied the President's Chair on the first four days and *Rajamantrapravi* K. Matthan on the last two days. All the members were present except *Rajasabhabhushan Diwan Bahadur* Sir K. P. Puttanna Chetty, Kt. C.I.E., and Messrs. Mahomed Sa O. V. Rajagopaul and P. Subbarama Chetty.

New Members sworn in.

The following eight new members took their seat after taking the prescribed oath allegiance to His Highness the Maharaja :—

Dr. L. C. Coleman
Mr. C. M. Cariapa
Mr. S. Shamanna
Mr. D. Srinivasa Iyengar
Mr. A. V. Ramanashan
Mr. S. Abdul Wajid
Mr. H. V. Ramaswami and
Mr. A. C. Rendell.

Secretary's Report.

It was reported to the House that the following three Regulations had received assent of His Highness the Maharaja on the dates specified against them :—

1. The Mysore Irrigation Regulation I of 1932 — 11th July 1932.
2. A Regulation further to amend the Mysore District Boards Regulation, 1926, II of 1932. — 15th do
3. A Regulation further to amend the Mysore Motor Vehicles Regulation, 1928, III of 1932. — 15th do

Election of Members to the Committee on Public Accounts for the year 1932-33.

Out of the ten candidates that stood for election to the Committee on Public Accounts for the year 1932-33, the following four who obtained the largest number of votes were declared duly elected :—

Mr. K Chengalatayara Reddy
Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar
Mr. D. S. Mallappa and
Mr. N. Channappa.

Questions and Answers.

Out of 161 questions admitted, printed answers in respect of 141 questions were furnished to the members. Seventy-one questions were actually put and answered, and on some of them, supplementary questions were asked and answered.

Bills.

Sixteen Legislative measures were before the House. Out of these;

(1) the Bill further to amend the Mysore Forest Regulation, 1900,
(2) the Bill further to amend the Mysore Land Acquisition Regulation, 1894,
(3) the Bill further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1904,
(4) the Bill to define and amend the Law relating to the Sale of Goods,
(5) the Bill to amend the Indian Contract Act, 1872, as in force in Mysore and
(6) the Bill further to amend the Mysore Limitation Regulation, 1911,

were finally passed.

The Reports of the Select Committees on—

(1) the Bill to impose a tax on Entertainments and other Amusements and
(2) the Bill to provide for the imposition of a tax on certain forms of Betting

were taken into consideration and the amended Bills were thereupon passed.

The Reports of the Select Committees on the three Local Self-Government Bills were taken into consideration. There were no amendments tabled in the case of the Minor Municipalities Bill and it was resolved that it be passed at a subsequent meeting of the Council. In regard to the Town and City Municipalities Bills, a number of amendments had been tabled and after they were disposed of, the Bills as amended were resolved to be passed at a subsequent meeting of the Council.

After consideration of the Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Mysore University Regulation, 1918, and after the various amendments tabled were disposed of, it was resolved to pass the Bill as amended at a subsequent meeting.

The Bill to repeal certain enactments whereby Breaches of Contract by Labourers are made punishable under the Criminal Law and the Bill to amend the Mysore Elementary Education Regulation, 1930, were read in Council and taken into consideration at once without being referred to Select Committees and it was resolved that they be passed at a subsequent meeting of the Council.

The Bill further to amend the Mysore Co-operative Societies Regulation, 1918, was read in Council and referred to a Select Committee.

During the last two days, the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Hindu Law as to the rights of Women together with the several amendments proposed by the members was taken up and after their consideration, it was resolved that the amended Bill be passed at a subsequent meeting of the Council.

A petition, dated 13th December 1932, from the President of a Meeting of a Standing Committee of the Mysore State Women's Conference praying that the consideration of the Select Committee's Report on the Bill to amend the Hindu Law as to the rights of Women be adjourned as there were no women representatives on the Council was read to the Council under Standing Order No. 66) which resolved that it be recorded.

Demands for Additional and Supplementary Grants.

There were 18 demands for additional and supplementary grants and their aggregate amount was Rs. 35,49,042. These were taken up on the last two days along with the 25 cut motions that had been tabled. Of those moved, a few cut motions were pressed to division and lost, and others were withdrawn after the objections raised were answered. All the demands were passed.

Resolutions.

The resolutions on the Statement of Business numbered 41 but only two were taken up on the last day of the Session. The first resolution proposed that first preference be shown to the candidates of the depressed class: as regards initial appointments in Government service. After some discussion, this was withdrawn by the mover on the Government point of view being explained.

The second resolution related to the throwing open of all the Muzrai administered Hindu temples to the untouchables and was passed *nem con*, the official members remaining neutral.

The Council thereupon adjourned *sine die*.

By Order,
C. SUBRAHMANYA AIYAR,
Secretary, Mysore Legislative Council.